

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): An envelope for recovering a used recording liquid cartridge, comprising:

an inner layer made of material capable of absorbing recording liquid; and

an outer layer made of water resistant material, wherein the material capable of absorbing recording liquid is tissue paper, the water resistant material is polyethylene, and the inner layer and the outer layer are heat-sealed to achieve integration.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): An envelope for recovering a used recording liquid cartridge, comprising:

an inner layer made of material capable of absorbing recording liquid;

a middle layer made of water resistant material; and

an outer layer made of writable material, wherein the material capable of absorbing recording liquid is tissue paper, the water resistant material is polyethylene, the inner layer and the middle layer are heat-sealed to achieve integration, and the outer layer is stuck to the middle layer.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): An envelope for recovering a used recording liquid cartridge, comprising:

a main body of the envelope; and

a foldable sealing portion capable of sealing an opening of the envelope by folding at a reference line₁[[;]] wherein

an outer edge portion of a front part only of the main body is continuously extended over the reference line at both sides of the sealing ~~portion~~ portion so that a center portion of

the front part of the main body is not folded when the foldable sealing portion and the outer edge portion of the main body are folded at the reference line.